

The following is courtesy of Heritage.

1) Proof. Chief Coiner B.F. Taylor of the New Orleans Mint in April of 1861; Ebenezer Locke Mason; John Walter Scott; John W. Scott Collection (Scott Stamp & Coin Co., 3/1882), lot 163, unsold; Edgar H. Adams, circa 1910; William Lukens Collection (Thomas Elder, 3/1910), lot 552, unsold; Edgar H. Adams retained ownership and exhibited the coin at the 1914 ANS Exhibition; David Proskey in 1918; purchased by J. Sanford Saltus along with the die for \$3,000; presented to the American Numismatic Society on July 30, 1918.



2) PR40 NGC. Possibly John Leonard Riddell, Postmaster of the City of New Orleans in April of 1861; unknown intermediaries, including an unidentified elderly man in New Orleans; purchased by coin dealer James Cohen in 1970; Lester Merkin; sold to Henry P. Kendall on June 21, 1971; Kendall Foundation Collection (Stack's Bowers, 3/2015), lot 2583, realized \$646,250.



3) PR40 NGC. Possibly CSA Secretary of the Treasury Christopher Memminger in April of 1861; possibly former Confederate General Francis T. Nicholls, circa 1866; passed to his son, Thomas Nicholls, circa 1879 (thanks to Richard Kelly and Nancy Oliver for this information); found in a roll of change by Mark Jacobs, of Rondout, New York, circa 1880; Thomas Elder in 1912; H.O. Granberg; Waldo Newcomer; "Colonel" E.H.R. Green, via B. Max Mehl in 1931; Green Estate; Partnership of Eric P. Newman/B.G. Johnson d.b.a. St. Louis Stamp and Coin Co.; Eric P. Newman @ \$4,000; Eric P. Newman Numismatic Education Society, Heritage 11/2017 lot 15125 at \$960,000.



4) PR30 NGC. Possibly CSA President Jefferson Davis in 1861, stolen in 1865; or New Orleans engraver A.H.M. Peterson; unknown intermediaries, coin dealer Ted Schnur; purchased by John J. Ford, Jr. at the New York Metropolitan Coin Convention in 1961; Paul Franklin, briefly; John Ford again; John J. Ford, Jr. Collection, Part I (Stack's, 10/2003), lot 325, realized \$632,500; Donald Groves Partrick; Partrick Collection, Part I (Heritage, 1/2015), lot 5847, realized \$881,250.

